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The EPA has given the public the opportunity to voice their opinions regarding the clean-up process of the Superfund Site at Quendall Terminals.

I am writing as a representative of my family and many families living in the adjacent community of Barbee Mill, the property just South of Quendall. (b) (6) Quendall's South West property line.

Due diligence has been given to all aspects of this project. I thank the EPA and all other entities that have worked so long in bringing this project to this point.

In meetings with many of my neighbors a few points are always voiced:

- Stabilize and control the contamination on behalf of the public and the environment. You have convinced us that there is a health risk here. I watch people fish every day, and they eat the fish. Our children and grandchildren play in the water we all do.
- Act in the fastest time frame and in a cost effective manner. We are aware of the huge impact this project will have on the quality of our lives. The time involved to accomplish it matters a great deal.
- All consideration should be afforded the property owners. They did not cause the contamination and they are asking to be allowed to clean-up the site.

We have been told that the EPA selected clean-up process, STAR, should work. However, if it does not work in all cases, then containment will be used – either in conjunction with or in place of STAR. We ask that the EPA reconsider and select the containment clean-up method. This can be accomplished in a much shorter time frame and for half the costs.

This would also bring the involved entities together and allow a cohesive team effort moving forward. This would benefit all involved, especially we the public and the environment.

Thank you for all of the hard work involved in this project. Please move forward now with utmost speed to ensure a safe living environment.

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